

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

DETAILED ACTION

The Examiner stated that claims 4-36 are pending.

Claim Rejections – 35 USC § 102

The Examiner stated that claims 4-36 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Risafi et al (US Patent No. 6,473,500).

For the reasons stated above, Applicant respectfully believes that currently pending independent claims 1 and 36, as well the claims that depend from them, are in condition for allowance and respectfully request they be passed to allowance.

Favorable action on this response is requested at the earliest convenience of the Office. The Examiner is welcome to contact the undersigned at any time.

Respectfully submitted,
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